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HOMECOMING GAME WITH SOUTHWESTERN NOVEMBER 23

The annual homecoming football game will be played with Southwestern Bulldogs at Natchitoches on Saturday afternoon, November 23.

Beginning at 8:30 a. m. and continuing throughout the morning, registration will be held in the reception room of Varnado Hall. Coffee will be served all visitors and old grads as they come for registration.

At 10:30 the mammoth parade of student body will get under way. Led by the Northwestern 78-piece band and visiting high school bands, the homecoming queen and her maids will ride in state on a special float to rule over the activities of the morning. The queen will be followed by floats representing all campus organizations, sororities and fraternities, as well as floats of business establishments and civic organizations. Students will march in a body with the parade from the campus to the center of town, where a pep meeting will be held.

Beginning at 2:15, the queen, her maids, and their escorts (members of the "N Club") will be presented to the crowd in the stadium. An address of welcome to the returning old grads and visitors will be given by President Farrar.

In the evening the N Club dance will be held in the field house, music being furnished by the Demon-aries.

Football games between the Demons and the Bulldogs of Southwestern are always thrilling and hard fought battles. Regardless of any "dope" that may favor either team from year to year, this is a game in which "dopesters" often go wrong. The same type of hard hitting, hard driving play that features this game is expected to prevail again this year, and may the better team win; and here's hoping that the Demons prove to be the better team on Homecoming Day.

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NORTHWESTERN ALUMNI BREAKFAST AT L.T.A. CONVENTION

The alumni of Northwestern State will hold their annual meeting at a breakfast in the Caddo Hotel, Shreveport, on Tuesday morning, November 26, at 8:00 o'clock.

While it has been customary to hold a luncheon at noon of the second day of the L.T.A. convention each year, it was impossible this year to arrange for a luncheon.

All alumni are urged to attend this breakfast. Important amendments to the constitution and by-laws of the Alumni Association are to be voted on. These proposed amendments are listed elsewhere in this issue.

Reservations may be made with Leroy S. Miller, Secretary, or by telephoning the Caddo Hotel for reservation before Monday at 7:00 p. m.

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LEROY S. MILLER, Editor

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Twenty-four New Additions to College Faculty - - - -

Faculty additions and replacements to take care of the increased enrollment and the broadening of curricula at the College have affected eleven different departments for the fall semester. New members of the faculty and the departments in which they have been employed are listed alphabetically as follows:

AGRICULTURE: Hal E. Townsend, Associate professor of Forestry; B. A., Louisiana Polytechnic Institute; B. S. F. Louisiana State University; U. S. Army, 1942-44. Mr. Townsend was employed as forester, U. S. Department of Agriculture, prior to his acceptance of a position on the faculty here.

BUSINESS: Joel E. Brakefield, Assistant professor; B. A., Louisiana College; M. S. C., University of Georgia; U. S. Army, 1941-45. Mr. Brakefield comes to the College from Louisiana Polytechnic Institute, where he was assistant professor of business.

Instructor, Ruth Bruner, B. S., Memphis State College; M. A., Northwestern University; secretary Houston Shipbuilding Corporation, 1941-44.

Assistant professor, Elvira Rickmers; B. S., Southwest Missouri State Teachers College; M. Ed., University of Pittsburgh; Instructor, Hampton Institute.

EDUCATION: Associate professor, Leo T. Albritten; B. A., Southwestern University; M. A., University of Texas; Ed. D., Colorado State College; assistant professor of psychology and director of veterans affairs, Colorado State College.

Associate professor, Mary C. Wilson; B. A., Louisiana Polytechnic Institute; M. A., George Peabody College for Teachers; Ph. D., University of Iowa; associate professor of education, L. P. I.

HEALTH AND PHYSICAL EDUCATION. Assistant professor, Ruth I. Price; B. S., Columbia University; M. S., University of Southern California; director dance center, Louisiana State University.

HOME ECONOMICS: Assistant professor, Marie Feldheusen; B. S., University of Idaho; M. A. Columbia University; assistant professor home economics, Eastern New Mexico College.

LANGUAGES: Professor, John D. Allen; B. A., M. A., University of Georgia; Ph. D., Vanderbilt University; professor of journalism and English, Mercer University.

Associate professor, Leslie P. Bigelow; B. A., M. A., Oberlin College; Ph. D., Ohio State University; professor of English and department head, Arkansas State Teachers College; Army Air Forces, 1942-46.

Associate professor, G. Waldo Dunnington; B. A., M. A., Washington and Lee University; Ph. D., University of Illinois; professor of German and mathematics, State Teachers College, La-Crosse, Wis.; U. S. Army, 1942-45.

Assistant professor, W. Frederic Plette; B. A. Knox College; M. A., Columbia University; professor of speech and dramatic arts, McMurry College.

LIBRARY SCIENCE: Assistant professor, Marjorie Dew; B. A., Furman University; B. S., M. A. in library science, George Peabody College; librarian, Slidell High School.

Instructor, Olive L. Roberts; B. A., B. S. in library science, Louisiana State University; junior catalogue librarian, L. S. U.

MUSIC: Assistant professor, W. Edmund Durham; B. A., Berea College; M. Mus. Ed., University of Oklahoma; assistant professor of music, Simpson College.

Assistant professor, May Beville; B. S., Northwestern State College; M. Mus. Ed., Louisiana State University; supervisor of music, Winnfield High School.

Assistant professor, Kenneth D. Long; B. A., Ball State Teachers College; M. M., University of Michigan; teacher, Concord Township Schools, Indiana; parts designer, Conn Instrument Company.

MATHEMATICS: Associate professor, Woodrow W. Gandy; B. S., M. S., Texas A. & M.; assistant professor of mathematics, Missouri School of Mines; U. S. Navy, 1944-46.

SOCIAL SCIENCE: Assistant professor, John Duffy; B. A., Northwestern State College; M. A., Louisiana State University; Ph. D., University of California at Los Angeles; teaching assistant and university fellow, U. C. L. A.

Assistant professor, Denux L. LeBlanc; B. A., Southwestern Louisiana Institute; M. A., Louisiana State University; U. S. Army, 1941-45.

Assistant professor, Elbert E. Miller; B. A., General Washington College; M. A., University of Washington; U. S. Navy.

Assistant professor, Charles G. Whitwell; B. A., East Central State College; M. A., Ph. D., University of Texas; professor, Westminster College, Utah; visiting professor, Mary Hardin-Baylor.

SCIENCE: Assistant professor, Ralph M. Combs; B. A., James Millikin University; M. A., University of Illinois; U. S. Department of Agriculture.

Associate professor, Robert G. Mers; A. A., Lamar College; B. A., Austin College; M. A., Ph. D., University of Texas; assistant professor, University of Arkansas.

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Faculty Members Retire . . .

Arch Milburn Hopper

Arch Milburn Hopper, Professor of Education, retired from active service as a member of the faculty here at the College at the end of the spring semester, May 31, 1946.

Mr. Hopper began his teaching career at Indiana State Teachers College in 1908. He came to Natchitoches in 1910 as head of the manual training department, when the College was the Louisiana State Normal School. In 1919 Mr. Hopper accepted a position as supervisor and assistant superintendent of Natchitoches parish, serving in that capacity until 1920. He received his A. B. degree from the Louisiana State Normal College in 1920, being a member of the first graduating class of four members, after the Normal became a four-year college granting degrees.

In 1920, Mr. Hopper moved to Baton Rouge to become Assistant Supervisor of Elementary Education for the State Department of Education. Three years later he became Supervisor of Elementary Education, a position which he held until 1940. He received his M. A. degree from Louisiana State University in 1928.

Mr. Hopper returned to Natchitoches as Professor of Education in his old Alma Mater in 1940 and remained here until his retirement last spring.

Mr. Hopper and his family have returned to their home in Baton Rouge. He has a host of friends and associates throughout the state who feel that he has served faithfully and well the schools of his state, and join with us in wishing him the best of luck.

Miss Leora Blair

Miss Leora Blair, who was associate professor of mathematics at the College, began her teaching career in the high schools of Ft. Smith, Arkansas, after having received her A. B. degree from the University of Arkansas. Later she returned to that university as a teacher of mathematics until 1923, when she entered Chicago University, where she earned her M. A. degree.

Miss Blair joined the mathematics department of the College in 1925 and spent twenty-one years here before being forced to retire on account of ill-health. She is a member of Pi Lambda Theta and has been an active member of the American Association of University Women and the Daughters of The American Revolution. Miss Blair did work on her doctorate at the University of California and at Columbia University. In 1925 she spent the summer in Europe, and in 1937 she made a round-the-world cruise.

She estimates that she has taught over twelve thousand students in her teaching career. Cultured and refined, sympathetic in nature, energetic, tireless in her work, expecting and demanding good performance from her classes, Miss Blair will be greatly missed by her students and associates. She has our every good wish as she returns to Fort Smith, Arkansas, her family home.

1946 SUMMER GRADUATING CLASS



Front row, Left to right: Cecil Owens, Shreveport; Mrs. Lucille W. McCoy, Ville Platte; Joyce Killgore, Lisbon; Pauline Ebarb, Zwolle; Carmen Courtney, Mansura; Claire Courtney, Mansura; Audrey Adcock, Coushatta; Frances Jones, DeRidder; Vera Honeycutt Vige, Provençal; Dorothy Faye Perry, Jamestown; Vivian Wright, Aimwell; Charles C. Milestead, Natchitoches.

Second row: Leta Mae Isgitt, Converse; Martha Smith, Ansley; Jewell Graves, Alexandria; Faye Escude, Mansura; Mabel Arnold, Newellton; Margaret Moody, Rayne; Ella Mae Pourciau, Campti; Jesolyn Bumgardner, Ringgold; Hazel Bounds, Benton; Annie Provenzano, Donaldsonville.

Top row: Henry Gregorio, Powhatan; Maxine Westbrook, Many; Mrs. Cleo Eugenia McDonald Mohr, Rodessa; Meddie Arnold, Olla; Mrs. Margaret Caruthers Thurmon, Lisbon; Ether Sowers, Winnfield; Olive Colwell, Ferriday; Enloe Lane, Winnfield; Mrs. Wanda Jordan Schlafly, Florian; Stella Moss, Pollock; James M. Spencer, Sicily Island.

Not shown in the picture: Mrs. Mary Lee Mixon Abat, Longview, Texas; Eileen Addison, Florian; James W. Black, Natchitoches; Joseph F. Cavanaugh, Hornbeck; Mrs. Anna Danahy Clark, Pine Prairie; John Richard Cole, Winnfield; Mrs. Minnie Ruth Bond Harris, Bonita; Annette Hays, DeRidder; Merrell A. Knighten, Homer; Lawrence D. May, Grayson; James William Taylor, Port Neches, Texas; Clotile Parrish Walker, Mansfield; James Bertene Warner, Natchitoches; Ralph Whitener, Mansfield; Helon Friday, Natchitoches.

AN OLD GRAD'S NEW ROLE . . .

Sallient points in an address of Dr. Francis J. Brown, Staff associate, American Council on Education, delivered before alumni secretaries at Amherst, Mass., on July 10.

Within a period of twelve months, colleges and universities have changed from a seller's to a buyer's market. For decades, one function of the alumni, often placed too high on the priority list, was to seek out students—and athletes—and encourage them to attend good old Alma Mater. Today, the problem is to find a place in Alma Mater for their own sons and daughters, to say nothing of those of their friends.

This shift has created problems in higher education that are unprecedented in their magnitude. It entails also a major shift of function and of attitude on the part of alumni—first in relation to the college or university itself and second in relation to all education.

The problems of the colleges revolve around two basic facts: the tremendous

increase in enrollment and the imperative need for greater flexibility in admission, in instructional requirements, and in administrative organization.

Even without the G. I. Bill (which provides 15,000,000 veteran scholarships) there would have been a sharp increase in the demand for higher education because of the five-year back-log brought about by the interrupted educational programs of young men and young women. The postponement of induction of 19-year-old youth will increase the demand by 100,000, practically all in the lower classes where the veterans load is heaviest (62% veterans are freshmen, 21% sophomores).

It is estimated that the number of veterans entering college this fall will be at least 750,000 with some 400,000 being unable to enter, even though the maximum utilization is made of all existing and allocated temporary housing facilities. This figure will remain fairly

constant for from three to five years. For the next five years veterans will make up 75% of the enrollment in men's colleges and from 30% to 50% of the enrollment in co-educational institutions. Following this maximum period, the number of veterans will decline for the remainder of the life of the Act—total enrollment, however, will not decline. This increase is not a bulge but is a permanent growth.

The need for financial assistance by all institutions today is greater than ever before.

WHAT CAN ALUMNI DO?

1. Lend every effort to increase their financial assistance to colleges and universities lest they fail in the greatest opportunity ever presented to them.

2. Assist in determining that their Alma Mater is making maximum utilization of existing facilities and expanding

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General Eisenhower Receives Council Award of Merit for 1945

DEMON COACHES



Left to right: James Shultz, Football, Basketball and Track; Walter P. Ledet, Football and Track; H. Lee Prather, Director of Athletics, Basketball; Alvin "Cracker" Brown, Football and Baseball; Harry "Rags" Turpin, Head Football Coach and Track.

For the first time in the history of the College, four football coaches are on the staff. In previous years the responsibility for coaching football has been placed on one, two, and at most, three men.

Head Coach Harry Turpin and Walter Ledet are coaching the line while coaches Brown and Shultz are coaching the backfield. Coach Shultz joined the coaching staff in 1945, when he and Coach Turpin had the entire football squad. The return of Coaches Ledet and Brown from ser-

vice, U. S. Army and U. S. Navy respectively, has added needed help in the coaching staff.

Director of Athletics, H. Lee Prather, relinquished most of his coaching duties several years ago; however, he continues to coach basketball, and this winter will be the thirty-third year he has coached his favorite sport at the College. Perhaps regarded as the "Dean of Coaches" in Louisiana, he finds time to act as Dean of Men and teach courses in business law, in addition to coaching basketball and serving as director of athletics.

American Alumni Council Meeting

At Amherst, Massachusetts, on July 10-13, was held the largest and most enthusiastic national conference of the American Alumni Council in its history. More than three hundred alumni secretaries and workers, representing one hundred seventy-eight member colleges of the council, were present for the conference. The largest previous attendance was in 1939, when one hundred twenty-two member colleges were represented. Three members were represented from Louisiana. They were: Tulane University, Sophie Newcomb College, and Northwestern State College.

Amherst College and Massachusetts State College, both in Amherst, Mount Holyoke College of South Hadley, and Smith College of Northampton were co-hosts for the conference, and they most certainly did an excellent job of providing housing and furnishing the entertainment features.

Highlights of the conference were the addresses of General Dwight D. Eisenhower; Dr. Francis J. Brown, of the American Council on Education; William G. Averitt, educational editor of the New York *Herald-Tribune*; and Joseph E. Bell, president-elect of the Alumni Council from Lafayette College.

Elsewhere in this issue are some extracts that are pertinent and thought-provoking to every straight-thinking alumnus of any college or university.

General Dwight D. Eisenhower received the American Alumni Council's second annual Award of Merit on July 11 during an impressive ceremony in Valentine Hall, Amherst College.

More than eighteen months ago the colleges and universities of the entire United States were invited to make nominations for the Council's Award of Merit. Announcement of the award specified that the alumnus-of-the-year must have achieved eminence in his or her chosen field of endeavor, must have made worthy contribution beyond the demands of his own profession, and must have evidenced a concern for the spiritual and moral welfare of his country.

A year ago the recipient for 1945 was chosen. The actual ceremony of presentation was delayed because the man selected was then engaged in operations overseas. In July of 1946, the recipient of the award, honoring more than seven and one-half million living former students of American colleges and universities, was present to receive the award. The award was presented by J. Maryon Saunders of the University of North Carolina, then president of the American Alumni Council.

The Award of Merit was an illuminated scroll, covered in red morocco binding, with the following inscription:

"THIS AWARD IS MADE BY THE DULY CONSTITUTED REPRESENTATION OF MORE THAN SEVEN AND A HALF MILLION GRADUATES AND FORMER STUDENTS OF AMERICAN UNIVERSITIES AND COLLEGES IN THANKFUL APPRECIATION FOR THE NOBLE SERVICE HE HAS SO CONSPICUOUSLY RENDERED TO HIS COUNTRY AND TO THE LIBERTY-LOVING NATIONS OF THE WORLD BY LEADING THE ARMIES OF FREE MEN TO VICTORY; FOR EMANCIPATION OF THE ENSLAVED; AND FOR THE RAISING OF A FOUNDATION UPON WHICH NATIONS MAY BUILD AN INTERNATIONAL INSTRUMENT FOR THE PRESERVATION OF PEACE.

"HE HAS WIELDED HIS GREAT AUTHORITY WITH HUMILITY; HE HAS DEMONSTRATED HIS PROFOUND FAITH IN DEMOCRACY BY THE CONFIDENCE WHICH HE HAS PLACED IN A FREE PRESS; HE HAS EARNED THE ADMIRATION OF A GRATEFUL NATION THROUGH HIS CHIVALROUS SPIRIT IN ACCEPTING HONOR SOLELY AS THE REPRESENTATIVE OF THOSE WHO FOUGHT UNDER HIS COMMAND.

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DEMON TRACK TEAM—1946



Top Row, left to right: Butler Miears, Springhill; Herley Tripp, Springhill; Zolon Stiles, Springhill; John Tarlton, Natchitoches; Leslie McConathy, Bryceland; Wilbur Botzong, Tioga; Robert Williamson, Tallulah; Purvis Landry, Abbeville; David Chennault, Waterproof.

Bottom Row: James Blakewood, Pelican; Leon Dunn, Shreveport; William Noonan, Vinton; Mac Hilburn, Plain Dealing; Wayne Hanson, Homer; Billie Hudson, Plain Dealing; Robert Dorcheus, St. Ignatius, Montana; James Ray, Boyce; Bobby Jantz, DeRidder; Bobby Noakes, Tioga.

With many veterans returning to college to supplement the material already available for the nucleus of a track team, the 1946 squad was, perhaps, one of the best balanced squads Northwestern State has had in several years. Taking eleven first places and tying for two first places and placing second in eight events out of fifteen, the Demons ran away with the L. I. C. meet held on Northwestern State's field in May of this year.

Event	1st Place	2nd Place	3rd Place	Record
100-yd. dash	Davis (SE)	Hebert (SW)	Manning (N)	0:10.3
220-yd. dash	Stiles (N)	Davis (SE)	Fisher (SW)	0:22.1
440-yd. dash	Stiles (N)	Hudson (N)	Williamson (N)	0:51.4
880-yd. dash	Dorcheus (N)	Salvoy (SW)	McConathy (N)	2:05.4
1 Mile run	Hanson (N)	Ray (N)	Noakes (N)	4:49.1
2 Mile run	Hanson (N)	Ray (N)	Viator (SW)	11:06.6
H. Hurdles	Botzong (N)	Tarlton (N)	Hilburn (N)	0:15.2
L. Hurdles	Botzong (N)	Roy (SW)	Tarlton (N)	0:25.1
Shot Put	Dunn (N)	Tripp (N)	Miears (N)	46' - 4½"
Discus	Dunn (N)	Tripp (N)	Aucoin (SW)	130' - 5"
Javelin	Pate (SW)	Chennault (N)	Landry (N)	169' - 6"
Broad Jump	Noonan (N)	Hanson (N)	Eschete (SW)	21' - 2"
Pole Vault	Noonan (N) Tucker (SE)	Tied for first	Blakewood (N)	10' - 10"
High Jump	Tarlton (N)	Tied for first	Davis (SE) Tie	5' - 9"
Mile Relay	Lee (SW) Northwestern	Southwestern	David (SW) 3rd	3:31

Total Points:	Northwestern State (N).....	points 96
	Southwestern (SW)	25½
	Southeastern (SE)	12½

Winning Relay Team: Dorcheus, Hudson, Botzong, and Stiles.

THE 1946 DEMON FOOTBALL SQUAD



Left to right, bottom row: Austin Wilson, Ferriday; Clea T. Campbell, Shreveport; Gabriel Barkate, Sulphur; James Poole, Natchitoches; Carlton Johnson, Cotton Valley; William Noonan, Vinton; Butler Miears, Springhill; Tommy Bambrick, Houston, Texas; Trent Melder, Glenmora; B. B. Hudson, Plain Dealing; J. N. Brown, Sherburne; Purvis Landry, Abbeville.

Second row: H. Randall, Ville Platte; J. L. Thompson, Waterproof; B. LeMier, Bastrop; L. Denham, Ferriday; Denver Loupe, Gonzales; R. Landry, Gonzales; J. Crum, Orange, Teaxs; Pat Landreaux, Shreveport; J. White, Bastrop; Alden Vige, Opelousas; S. Powell, Bogalusa; George Madden, Alexandria; Leon Dunn, Shreveport; R. C. Jones, Ferriday.

Third row: Billy Quinn, Springhill; Bobby Jantz, DeRidder; Harvey Johnson, Shreveport; David L. Coyle, Shreveport; Johnny G. Robertson, Bossier City; Clyde Wilson, Guin, Alabama; Phillip White, Alexandria; John Jackson, Winnfield; Austin F. Jones, Winnsboro, South Carolina; Jerry Montgomery, Shreveport; Alvin Caswell, Springhill; Wilfred Cummings, Bossier City; Zolon Stiles, Springhill; Robert O. Johnson, Shreveport.

Fourth row: Harold Tinsley, Haynesville; Elton Chachere, Eunice; L. W. Sibley, Natchitoches; Sidney H. Rhodes, Vivian; Oscar Dove, Haynesville; Johnnie C. West, Shreveport; J. E. Yellott, DeQuincy; Hubert N. Smith, Eunice; J. R. Wolf, Vivian.

Top row: J. O. Lancaster, Ferriday; W. B. Lutgring, Abbeville; E. O. Howell, Richmond, California; John Tarlton, Natchitoches; J. Butler, Alexandria; Ralph McFarland, Alexandria; Herley Tripp, Springhill; J. B. Keaton, Winnfield; Ray Maddy, Minden; Woodrow Wright, Springhill; Fred Clay, Jonesboro.

The Demon's Football Schedule for 1946

- Sept. 21—University of Arkansas at Fayetteville
- Sept. 28—East Texas Teachers at Commerce
- Oct. 12—Louisiana College at Alexandria
- Oct. 18—Southeastern La. College at Hammond
- Oct. 26—Louisiana Tech at Shreveport
- Nov. 1—Ouachita College at Natchitoches
- Nov. 8—Mississippi Southern at Natchitoches
- Nov. 16—Mississippi State at Starkville
- Nov. 23—Southwestern Louisiana at Natchitoches
- Nov. 30—Stephen F. Austin at Natchitoches

Cupid's Doings - - - - -

Mr. and Mrs. William Christopher Burt of Bogalusa have announced the marriage of their daughter, Juanita, to Mr. Everett Burnas Smith on Sunday, June 16. Mrs. Smith taught in Bolton High School the past few years. They will make their home in Sulphur.

Miss Helen Clay, niece of Mr. and Mrs. Castle O. Holland of Minden, became the bride of Mr. Edgar Allan Poe of Newellton on June 5 at the First Methodist Church in Minden. The bride has been teaching in Newellton, and the groom has recently returned from overseas, where he served as Colonel in the U. S. Air Corps. They will be at home on Cypress Grove Plantation, Newellton.

The marriage of Miss Amelia Ann Adcock, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Adcock of Shreveport, and Earl Hodge, U.S.N.R., son of Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Hodge, also of Shreveport, was solemnized Saturday, June 8, at the Southside Baptist Church. The bride was a member of Alpha Sigma sorority on the campus. They are making their home in Jacksonville, Florida, where Mr. Hodge is stationed.

Mr. and Mrs. William Clay Morgan of Shreveport have announced the marriage of their daughter, Mary Emily, to William John Martin, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Martin of New York City, Wednesday, June 5, at Salisbury, North Carolina, at the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. Wayne Stacy Patterson. The bride is a graduate of the College and of L.S.U., and has been working on the staff of the Shreve Memorial Library. The couple will reside in New York.

Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Hines of Bethany announced the marriage of their daughter, Shirley, to Richard George Groome II, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Groome of Vicksburg, Miss., at 6:30 Wednesday evening, April 17. The young couple are making their home on the campus of the College, where both are in school. Mrs. Groome is majoring in Music and Mr. Groome is majoring in Business.

Miss Louise Teer, student at the College and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Teer of Ashland, was married to Mr. Lloyd Foster, son of Mr. and Mrs. (Continued on Page 10)

"NORMAL" FOOTBALL TEAM OF 1912



Dr. C. G. Pool, Coach and Athletic Director

Top Row, Left to Right; Rene T. Broussard, Maurice, La.; Jerome J. Aydel, French Settlement, La.; Hardy V. Carter, Sunny Hill, La.; J. E. Cammack, Marks-ville, La.

Second Row: Fred Jackson, Natchitoches, La.; R. W. Kemp, Sunny Hill, La.; J. Earl Freeman, Natchitoches, La.; Thomas James Annison, Zachary, La.; Edmond A. Lee, Bellwood, La.; Castle O. Holland, Garland, La.

Bottom Row: Frank Jackson, Natchitoches, La.; Charles P. Knight, Almadane, La.; Jack Enloe, Natchitoches, La.; James W. Norred, Hodge, La.; Gilmer C. Reeves, Longstreet, La.; W. F. Dunkelmann, Natchitoches, La.; Bunyan Nash, Cheneyville, La.; Matt Buatt, Bonita, La., Mascot. (Not shown in the picture is Paul M. Potts, Natchitoches, La., Captain-elect for 1913).

The squad pictured above is not the first football team of the old "NORMAL," but it is the first squad picture that we have been able to find. This team of 1912 was, according to the POTPOURRI, "The First Normal Football Team to Win a Championship." For your pleasure we are copying below the write-up of this team in the 1913 Potpourri:

"Paul M. Potts was elected captain for the ensuing year. This selection is considered a most excellent one, in view of the fact that it is popular with all the fellows.

"The following men will leave the Normal at the close of this year: Earl Freeman, Krank Jackson, Gilmer Reeves, Bunyan Nash, Chas. Knight, and Capt. James Norred.

"Freeman's great defensive work and his furious offensive work at the close of the 1911 season, Lafayette-Normal game, will long be remembered on Normal Hill. Frank Jackson's perfect tackling and good judgment in sizing up plays, due to his long experience, will surely be missed in 1913. Gilmer Reeves won the admiration of all the coaches of the State by his aggressiveness in every stage of the game. His playing of three-fourths of the Lafayette game in 1912 with a broken arm is characteristic of his spirit. Nash was a tiger at breaking up interferences and won the Lafayette game in 1912 by grabbing a 40-yard forward pass and running 35 yards for a touchdown. Knight, who was handicapped by a sprained ankle, fought savagely at all times, and "passed" like a Trojan; especially when a good pass meant a gain. These men have played two years, each winning his "N" each year. In Captain James Norred we see a three-year "N" football man, who has played almost every position on the team except quarter-back and center. Whether against a heavier opponent or his equal, he has established a reputation of fighting his

son played a hard, consistent game. Carter, who received his "N" for the first time, had been on the squad three years and earned his "letter" by his fine spirit and hard, consistent work on the practice field. Holland, the little quarter-back, will undoubtedly pilot the team again next year. His returning of punts was best shown in the Lafayette game, where he made several fine returns. Dunkelmann, who worked at half and end, was a fast ground-gainer, and although it was his first year in the backfield, Dr. Pool predicts great things for him next year.

"Many good men will be on hand to start the 1913 season and assist Captain Potts in putting out a good team.

"The following men were unanimously picked from L.S.N. by practically all the coaches from the minor schools of all Louisiana football teams; Enloe, Reeves, and Nash.

"The offensive characteristics of the Normal were shown by the variedness of the attack and especially of the forward passes, which were worked more scientifically and showed better and more thorough coaching than any other school which the Normal faced on the gridirons.

"Normal defeated Louisiana College, which was practically intact from the season of 1911, by a score of 39 to 6, while the same team had defeated Normal the year before to the tune of 10 to 3, showing the progress the team of 1912 over that of 1911.

"The following games were played:

Oct. 12—L.S.N. 42,	Winnfield 6
Oct. 18—L.S.N. 20,	Monroe 6
Oct. 26—L.S.N. 6,	Centenary 6
Oct. 29—L.S.N. 0,	Picked Team 22
Nov. 9—L.S.N. 39,	La. College 6
Nov. 16—L.S.N. 13,	Lafayette 6

SENIORS OF THE 1946 FOOTBALL SQUAD



Top row, Left to right: Butler Miears, Springhill; Zolon Stiles, Springhill; W. B. Lutgring, Abbeville; Carlton Johnson, Cotton Valley; Ralph McFarland, Alexandria; John Tarleton, Natchitoches.

Bottom row: Tommy Bambrick, Houston, Texas; Bill Noonan, Vinton; Harold Tinsley, Haynesville; Alden Vige, Opelousas; Clea T. Campbell, Shreveport; H. Randall, Ville Platte.

This group of seniors, practically all of whom are veterans, are playing their last year on the Demon squad. Eight of the thirteen are linemen and the remaining five play in the backfield. The Demon squad selected three of these seniors as co-captains for the team this fall. They are: Butler Miears, wearing jersey No. 46, captain; Tommy Bambrick, wearing jersey No. 1, co-captain; and Bill Noonan, wearing jersey No. 42, co-captain.



The 1946 Demolition

TO RIGHT:

TACKLES: Mears (Captain), Tripp, Caswell, and Maddry.

FULLBACKS: Wolf, Loupe, and A. Landry.

GUARDS: Dove, Smith, Tincher, Robertson, and Dunn.

BLOCKING BACKS: H. Johnson, Mier,

TAIL BACKS: R. Johnson, Lee, C.

ENDS: Stiles, Howell, Lutgritte, C. (Co-Captain), Poole, Melder, and

WING BACKS: Thompson, J. Johnson, Bark,

CENTERS: Tarlton, Lundrean, Bark,



Playing Position

Right:

James, McFarland, Keaton, Wright,
Bambrick (Co-Captain), Wilson,
Machere, West, P. White, Denham,

Mier, Madden, Yellott, and Randall.
Clay, and Rhodes.

White, C. Wilson, P. Landry, Noonan

Wilson, C. Johnson, and C. Brown.
Barkate, and Lancaster.



Normal Track Team of 1912 . . .

We reproduce the write-up of the 1912 Track Team as copied from the Potpourri of 1913.

"Track in 1912 was exceptionally successful, and a brilliant season for the L. S. N. track team. Never before did the Purple and White so completely eclipse other aspirants to track glory.

"Ruston (L. I. I.), Louisiana College, Centenary College, and Normal were gathered at Normal's new athletic field on April 20, 1912, and the day proved one of triumph and rejoicing among L. S. N. track fans.

"Ducournau deserves mention for his splendid work for the State Normal by winning the mile in 4:38 2/5, which breaks all college and university records in Dixie. He also captured the 880-yard dash in the exceptionally fast time of 2:06 4/5. His starring was most assuredly due in a large measure to his hard training before the meet.

"Dunkelman came in for a big place among the stars by his winning of the high hurdles and his "inches" race in the "low" with Huffman. He also picked up a third in the high jump and cinched the relay in the first lap.

"Harvey, for the second time, won the high jump with ease and finished second in the high "sticks." He also secured a place in the "running broad."

"Breux, who unfortunately was out of condition, managed to capture nine points.

"Frank Barnes administered Huffman's second defeat of the meet by taking the running broad jump. He also picked a point out of the pole vault and ran the last lap of the relay.

"Reeves shoved the 16-pound ball out for first place, thereby cinching his third "N" in one year.

"Paul Potts easily roped in the first five points in the hammer throw, none of the competitors being in his class.

"The meet of 1912 held up admirably the splendid record established in previous years. The Normal has this year won the meet by a score which was greater than the sum of the scores of the other teams. L. S. N. walloped Ruston in a way that will not be forgotten soon, as this is the first time the Normal has ever outdone the Industrialites.

"The meets have always proved a financial success under Dr. Pool's splendid management. Dr. Pool is the best trainer and athletic director the Normal School has ever had. He is among the best in the South. This is shown by the excellent record of the teams he turns out.



Dr. C. G. Pool, Athletic Director and Coach

Top Row, Left to Right: Walter Brewer, Coushatta; Charles Doughty, Little Creek; Oscar P. Babin, Dutchtown; Gilmer Reeves, Longstreet; Ben Oswald Jones, Coushatta; J. E. Cammack, Marksville; Paul M. Potts, Natchitoches; W. Fletcher Teddlie, Natchitoches.

Bottom Row: Claude Ellender, Bourg; Claude C. Dupree, Coushatta; Jack Enloe, Natchitoches; Edgar Earl Breux, Franklin; Thomas L. Harvey, Almadane; W. F. Dunkelman, Natchitoches; Murrell Stafford, Richardson; Walter T. McCook, Natchitoches. (Not shown in the picture; John A. "Dolph" Ducournau, Natchitoches; Frank Barnes, Lula; and Harold Rogers, Natchitoches.)

"With the material we have on hand this year and under Dr. Pool's direction, we have splendid hopes of repeating last year's success.

"The New Orleans Picayune says: "At Natchitoches, La., on April 20, 1912—Normal won the intercollegiate track meet by the following score: Normal 69, Louisiana College 34, Ruston 20, Centenary 3.

"Harvey of Normal jumped 5 feet 5 inches in the high jump. Dunkelman of Normal ran the 120-yard hurdles in 16 4/5 seconds.

"Huffman of Louisiana College won the highest individual number of points, taking five firsts. Centenary College of Shreveport and Ruston Industrial Institute were outclassed.

"Normal's team was evenly balanced and well trained, and won the meet by more points than all the remaining schools together.

"This is the second intercollegiate meet won by Normal. Normal scored in every event."

Cupid's Doings—

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Mrs. Tandy Foster, Coushatta, on January 26. The groom had just been discharged from the Seabees after serving in the Pacific area.

Miss Louise Lucky of Saline and Mr. Laurice Easley of Jonesboro were married at the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. J. D. Mullins of Saline, early in June. They will make their home in Jonesboro.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Preston Thompson have announced the marriage of their daughter, Beth, at the First Baptist Church of Columbia, on June 7, to Mr. Louis R. Perkins, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Louis R. Perkins of Leesville. The bride was a member of Alpha Sigma Alpha on the campus, and the groom has re-entered school after having served three and one-half years in the Marines.

Miss Lelita Rayburn, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Rayburn of Hornbeck, was married to Mr. Sherrod M. Jones, son of Mr. and Mrs. Monette Jones of DeRidder, at the home of the bride's parents on June 15.

Miss Burneal Eloise Evans, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dalton Evans of Jamestown, was married to Mr. John Sherrick O'Brien, son of Mr. and Mrs. Victor Joseph O'Brien, 437 South Howard Avenue, Villa Park, Illinois, at St. John's Church in Hot Springs, Arkansas, on June 22. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. L. R. Aycock of

Events	1st Place	2nd Place	3rd Place	Record
100-yd. dash	Huffman (P)	J. H. Barnes (R)	Breaux (N)	0:10 4/5
220-yd. dash	Breaux (N)	McCook (N)		0:24
440-yd. dash	Huffman (P)	Breaux (N)	Wilbanks (C)	0:55 4/5
880-yd. dash	Ducournau (N)	Rogers (N)	Peters (P)	2:06 3/5
1 mile	Ducournau (N)	Willis (P)	O'Neal (R)	4:38 2/5
120-yd H. Hurdle	Dunkelman (N)	Harvey (N)	Wilson (N)	0:18
220-yd L. Hurdle	Huffman (P)	Dunkelman (N)		0:29 2/5
Broad jump	Barnes (N)	Huffman (P)	Harvey (N)	19 ft. 9 in.
High jump	Harvey (N)	Turnbow (R)	Dunkelman (N)	5 ft. 5 in.
Pole vault	Huffman (P)	Cockerham (R)	Barnes (N)	9 ft. 8 in.
Shot put	Reeves (N)	Pryor (R)	Hinkie (P)	33 ft. 6 1/2 in.
Hammer	Potts (N)	Cockerham (R)	Huffman (P)	83 ft. 7 in.
Discus	Huffman (P)	Barnes (R)	Simmons (N)	81 ft. 10 in.
Relay	Normal	Ruston	Centenary	3:40

Normal Relay team composed of Dunkelman, Rogers, Ducournau and Barnes.

Note: (P) means Pineville (Louisiana College), (R) means Ruston (L. I. I.).

Lake Providence, La., formerly of Natchitoches. The young couple will make their home in Newark, New Jersey.

Miss Helen Grey Henson of Converse and Mr. Edward Russell O'Brien of Erie, Penna., were married on July 20, Rev. D. L. Dykes of Shreveport performing the double-ring ceremony. Prior to the wedding, the bride was a member of the faculty of Westlake High School. The bride and groom will make their home in Erie, Penna.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Van Austin of Mansfield have announced the marriage of their daughter, Miss Margaret Austin, to Mr. Jack Malone, son of Mrs. Lena Malone of Shreveport and J. D. Malone

of Plain Dealing, at the First Baptist Church in Mansfield on July 3. They will be at home in Mansfield.

Miss Vera Mae Jones, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Benny F. Jones of Belcher, and Lieut. Waddy Land Thomley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Frank Thomley of Coushatta, were married in the Broadmoor Baptist Church, Shreveport, June 25, Rev. Stanley Wilkes officiating. The young couple will reside in Shreveport.

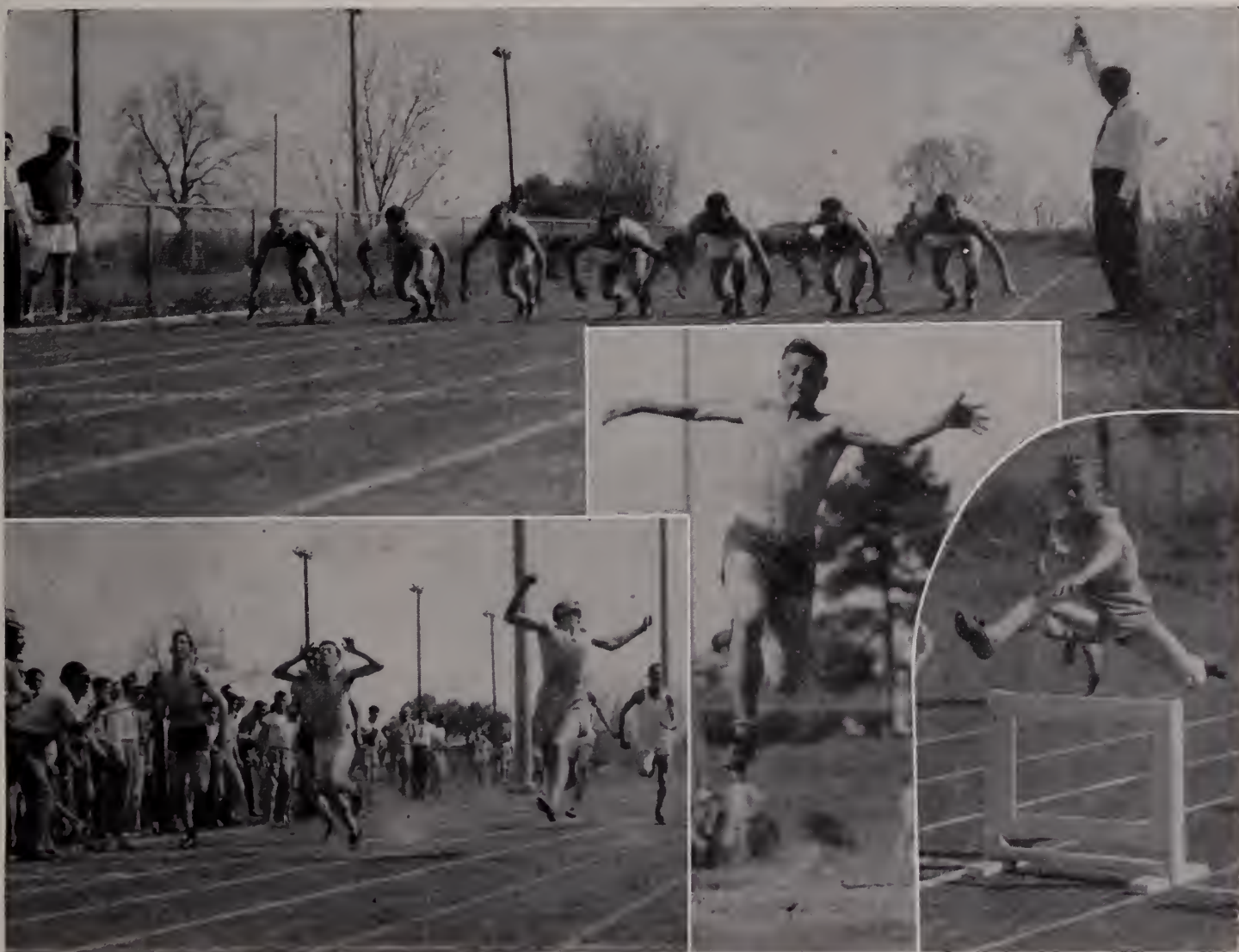
Miss Elizabeth Boone, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Boone of Shreveport, and Mr. George P. Daumann, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Daumann of Long Island, N. Y., were married June 16 at the First Lutheran Church, with the

Rev. A. L. Pfennig officiating. The bride taught in North Carolina and Alabama, and at the time of her marriage was employed at Barksdale Field. The couple will make their home in St. Louis, Mo.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Greening of Mansfield have announced the marriage of their daughter, Helen, to Mr. Charles E. Jamison of Orlando, Florida, on May 27. The bride, a member of Phi Kappa Sigma on the campus, taught in Lake Charles prior to her marriage. After a wedding trip to California, the bride and groom have made their home in Orlando, Florida.

Miss Martha Houston, daughter of
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Typical Track Scenes



Typical scenes of activity on the Northwestern State track field, one of the finest in the country, are pictured above. These represent various sprints, hurdles, and running broad jump, scenes that are familiar again on the campus since the resumption of high school relays, the Northwest Louisiana Rally, and other meets. During the war all meets were suspended and the return of these events brought about the keenest rivalry between track teams throughout the State.

Contests in all regular field and track events have brought hundreds of high school athletes to the campus to vie with each other for the distinction of winning a place in their favorite events. Many outstanding track and field stars from Class AA, Class A, and Class B teams have performed here this year and we are looking forward to greater activity and more spirited contests as high schools, many of whom were forced to do without the services of a regular coach, particularly during the war years, resume their regular training programs in field and track events.

Future

Michael Poynor



Michael Poynor, four-year-old son of Mr. Ben H. and Ethel Good Poynor of Cheneyville. Michael is the older of two young sons of the Poyyors, his younger brother, Alvin, being pictured to the right.



Sandra Bell



Sandra, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James E. Bell, who reside at 3535 - 82nd Street, Jackson Heights, Long Island, N. Y. Mrs. Bell was the former Mary Louise Reed of Lake Providence. Mr. Bell, formerly with the Army Air Force, is now working with an airline company.

Jimmie Fay Thomas



Jimmie Fay Thomas, three-year-old daughter of Mr. J. M. and Melba Dowden Thomas of Shreveport.



Judith Annette Mims



Judith Annette Mims, age three and one-half years when pictured, is the daughter of Mr. Winfred C. and Mrs. Anise Jones Mims of DeQuincy. The father and mother are graduates of the College.

Alvin Poynor



Alvin Poynor, three-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Ben H. Poynor of Cheneyville. Alvin and his older brother, Michael, are the grandsons of Professor Alvin Good of the faculty.



Nita Ruth Fletcher



Nita Ruth Fletcher, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Fletcher of Valera, Texas. Mrs. Fletcher was Miss Annie Ruth Boydston.

Alumni

Kay and Ferne Fontenot



Kay, five years of age, and Ferne, one year of age, are the children of Mr. and Mrs. Earl H. Fontenot of Church Point. Mrs. Fontenot is the former Evelyn Breaux. She and the children were made very happy on the return of her husband from the Pacific area this year.



Chere Ann Sompayrac



Chere Ann Sompayrac, 2-year-old daughter of Captain Harry A. and Faye Legendre Sompayrac. Captain Sompayrac was killed September 4, 1945, on a mercy mission in Japan. Mrs. Sompayrac is living at 703 Kings Highway, Shreveport.

Roy Dosson Bass, Jr.



Roy Dosson Bass, Jr., at the age of eight months. He is the son of Mr. Roy Dosson Bass and Mrs. Janie Estelle Wells Bass of 136 East Doyd Drive, Baton Rouge. Both parents are graduates of the summer class, 1938.

Michael Shayne and Rebecca Ann Stoker



Michael Shayne and Rebecca Ann, children of Lt. Julian H. and Gloria St. John Stoker. Both parents are former students of the College.

Catherine A. Fourroux



Catherine A. Fourroux, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Fourroux of Kenner. Mrs. Fourroux was the former Miss Elsie Wattigny, B. S. 1934.

Jefferson Brooks



Jeffery Brooks, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Brooks, 132 Cedar Crest, Lafayette. Mrs. Brooks was formerly Miss Doye Noble, graduate of 1942.



Jimmy W. Dowden



Jimmy Dowden, two years of age, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Dowden of Shreveport. Mrs. Dowden was the former Miss Helen LaGleize of New Orleans.

General Eisenhower---

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"WE SALUTE GENERAL DWIGHT DAVIS EISENHOWER AS A VICTORIOUS SOLDIER; WE REVERE HIM AS A TRULY GREAT AMERICAN."

ACCEPTANCE

In his acceptance address, General Eisenhower said, in part:

"There is for me an understandable pride in the privilege of representing before this distinguished body those millions of fighting men to whom your generous expressions really apply. Yet the services for which I am being so signally commended by the American Alumni Council involved circumstances which we are determined shall never re-appear upon this earth.

"Toil, sacrifice, and death had once again to provide a shield for democracy against the murderous assault of dictatorships reaching for world domain. War, in unprecedented scope and destructiveness, swept over great portions of the earth's productive centers, leaving in its wake broken economies, governmental chaos, and starving millions.

"Conflagration brings the need for clearing away wreckage before constructive work can begin anew. Our own country is now engaged in this process both at home and abroad. Here we are reconverting industry from the demands of war to those of peace . . . Abroad, we, with other nations, are engaged in rescuing the persecuted, feeding the hungry, re-establishing order and encouraging peoples to adopt democratic processes . . . I firmly believe that an indispensable factor in the problem is an awareness by every American that he, personally, and the democracy of which he is a part, are living in a decade of test before the world."

General Eisenhower called upon the American people to understand the necessity for a substantial army to perform the duties of occupation in Germany and Japan. Nothing, he said, would encourage recalcitrance or open rebellion in occupied territories so much as an indication of American weakness.

The General also emphasized the importance of absorbing into the country's productive life the millions of men and women who served in the armed forces.

"Just as the military developed the leadership to utilize these qualities of our youth in battle," he said, "so now must you, and others like you, produce the pattern of leadership that will best employ them in peace."

General Eisenhower stated that it was his firm conviction that peace and tranquility could not come to one nation unless it was achieved by all, that every nation was neighbor to all mankind. He said that we must not only have teamwork at home, we must have international teamwork.

Our nation, he said, is the greatest product of democracy, and it must be to all men "a shining example of what democracy can accomplish—a worthy champion of right and justice and freedom throughout the world."

"Every cooperate effort in the community, the nation, the world," he concluded, "demands sacrifice of some sort from every individual. But patriotism is the expression of the will to sacrifice. In the school and home and church, in every agency concerned with the training of youth, stress must be laid on the development and amplification of this virtue, so that cooperation, possible only where a common bond unites men, may become the watchword of our social, economic, and national life.

"Here is the great task for every man who by training or occupation finds himself in a position of leadership. To help produce, foster, and sustain this unity of purpose and unity of action—to promote clear understanding of the relationships between this domestic unity and the future peace of the world—are, I submit, tasks peculiarly appropriate to alumni associations. As in all mass efforts, leadership is an essential ingredient; leadership in all walks of life, in every type of activity. No other is better suited to its exacting and important requirements than the graduate of the American college. There can be no worthier purpose nor any more glowing reward than an entire world—peaceful, tranquil, prosperous! The alternative will not wait, the time to attack is now."

INFORMAL REMARKS

Following the reading of his formal acceptance, General Eisenhower delighted his audience by putting down his prepared address, grinning his famous Eisenhower grin, and saying: "Now I'd like to talk to you people." He prefaced his remarks by saying that the funny thing about war is that after it is won "it looks so damn easy."

He explained that it isn't reasonable to criticize a military leader long after a battle has been won or lost. The factors which must be considered by a military leader in making grave and immediate decisions on the field of battle cannot possibly be weighed with the

proper perspective after the war is over. Many of the factors which seem obvious even to the layman are based on information not available to the commander when his vital decision must be made.

He illustrated his point with General Robert E. Lee's decision which brought about Pickett's charge in the battle of Gettysburg—a military catastrophe which has never been justified by students of military strategy—and yet, General Lee is recognized by all military authorities as one of the world's greatest generals.

General Eisenhower talked about his ideas for the purposes of education, saying, in part, that although it has been proved on dramatic occasions, like Pearl Harbor, that the American people can be united by fear and anger, they need to be educated for unity resulting from more constructive promptings than fear.

He urged colleges in America to sponsor the study of other governments so that we can supplant fear with understanding. By acquainting its students with the workings of other governments and other nations, knowledge will be substituted for fear and suspicion. This, he said, would be a gigantic step toward the abolition of war. He asserted that, regardless of whether nuclear fission weapons and bacteriological warfare would be used, the world cannot stand another war.

The General was asked to give some of the background information that led to his momentous decision to initiate the Normandy invasion. He stated that it was often the apparently minor decisions of war that were hardest to make. Actually, he said, the decision to cross the channel was easy to make because most of the important factors were known. He pointed out that the North African invasion contained a great number of unknown factors and was, therefore, the most hazardous undertaking of the war.

The General credited two Scot meteorologists with really making the grave decision which was to send our armies into France. These men kept the expedition from heading into a terrible spell of weather even though the skies over England were sunny. Later, they gave the go-ahead signal in almost stormy weather because they had spotted in the area of the Azores the promise of thirty-six hours of clearness. The German meteorologists had missed the "good spot" in the Azores and had informed the German high command that no immediate invasion could be expected after June 4.

Here and There - - -



MRS. A. G. FLETCHER
Annie Ruth Boyston

Mrs. Annie Ruth Fletcher, nee Annie Ruth Boydstun, is teaching Home economics in the high school at Valera, Texas. She is pictured with her pet collie dog. Her mother, Mrs. Boydstun, formerly post-mistress at College Station, is with her.

Mr. Edward C. Greco was visiting on the campus this week, November 12, and stated that he is enjoying his work in the research laboratory of the United Gas Pipe Line Company, Shreveport. Prior to accepting a position with his present employer, Greco was with the U. S. Army Ordnance Department as an explosive chemist, and served as a special chemist with the E. I. Dupont de Nemours Co. in their laboratories at Memphis, Tenn.

Mr. Greco presented a paper on Explosives before the Louisiana Academy of Science meeting held at the College this past spring.

Mr. Dudley H. Fulton, graduate of the College in the late thirties, is in charge of veterans affairs office here at the College. Mr. Fulton replaced Mr. Fred M. Cummings, who was transferred to the regional office in Shreveport. Another veteran alumnus, Kenneth Wilson, is working in the veterans affairs office.

Gardner Krieger, B.S. '39, of Princeton, New Jersey, was a visitor on the campus during the week of October 21-26. Krieger is a member of the research staff of Radio Corporation of America, and is presently working with Television. Two very interesting implements used during the war that Gardner worked on were the Sniperscope and the Snooperscope. Utilizing the infra-red ray (so-called black light) these two devices were in-

valuable for night work by snipers and observation patrols. To be able to see an enemy in the dark without his knowing of the presence of the sniper or snooper, if you will, was a distinct advantage to our men. Before working on either of the above mentioned devices, Krieger did work under the supervision of Dr. Zwarkin, on the electron microscope.

Captain Earl Nunnally visited the campus on October 30. He is out of the U. S. Army on terminal leave and is planning to re-enter the College at the beginning of the spring semester to complete the work for his degree.

Mrs. Richard Milne, 12 Abbott Street, Wellesley, Massachusetts, was a visitor on the campus this summer. Mrs. Milne was the former Eva Mae Peace, niece of Mrs. Lizzie Carter McVoy, and attended school here in 1919-1920. She is the mother of two fine looking children, rather a grown son and daughter.

Old Grad's Role—

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proportionately its curricula and offerings to take care of the students' needs.

There are a number of misconceptions concerning the veteran as a college student. The veteran himself has dissipated many of these beliefs that he would be emotionally unstable, maladjusted, or bitter; that he would have little interest in higher education; that college would be a pleasant and secure place to loaf the next few years. Our experience has already demonstrated that he is **more serious in his work, is more eager to attend, and procures on the average higher marks than the non veteran.**

3. Alumni must be prepared to discard the "halo" placed on traditional subjects and traditional procedures, to understand these new developments, and to encourage their Alma Mater in their still more generous use—to look, not backward, but forward.

4. To aid higher education in procuring legislation—state and national—to assist colleges meet their expanding responsibilities. Alumni should be alert and keep informed about specific legislation that affects higher education, and to take an active part in procuring its passage.

Cupid's Doings . . .

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Mr. and Mrs. Lee Houston of Sarepta,

and Mr. Harvey L. Ashworth, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Ashworth of Owensboro, Ky., were married on June 2. They will make their home in Owensboro, Ky.

Mr. and Mrs. F. J. McCandlish of Minden have announced the marriage of their daughter, Evelyn, to Mr. J. E. Tullos, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Tullos of Winnsboro, in July. The bride and groom, both graduates of the College in Music and Business Administration, respectively, will make their home in Baton Rouge, where Mr. Tullos is employed by Standard Oil. Prior to accepting a position in Baton Rouge, the groom served as Lieutenant in the U. S. Navy.

Miss Joe Ann Faraldo, daughter of Mrs. Maggie Faraldo and the late Gaston Faraldo of Colfax, became the bride of Mr. Edmond E. Davis, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Davis of Colfax, on Thursday, July 4, in an impressive double-ring ceremony at St. Joseph Catholic Church, Rev. Father Francis Couvillion officiating.

Miss Martha E. Johnson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Percy R. Johnson of 354 Albany Avenue, Shreveport, and Mr. Charles M. Burt, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Burt, of Sarasota, Florida, were married on October 4 at Broadmoor Baptist Church in Shreveport. They will make their home in Sarasota, where the groom is employed with an airline company.

Miss Dorothy Elizabeth Huffman, daughter of Mrs. Chester C. Huffman and the late Mr. Huffman of Shreveport, was married to Mr. Jack Edward Burgess, son of Judge and Mrs. Hal A. Burgess of Mansfield, on August 22. The young couple will reside at 1106 West Chimes Street, Baton Rouge.

Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Glenn Myers, 448 Unadilla Street, Shreveport, have announced the marriage of their daughter, Jacqueline Nell, to Lt. Norman Clyde Cox, son of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Cox of Leesville, on August 4. The young couple will live at Champaign, Illinois, while the groom is stationed at Chanute Field.

Mrs. Eudie Marston Middleton of Shreveport has announced the marriage of her daughter, Marguerite, to Leroy S. Miller, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Leroy S. Miller of Natchitoches, on September 7, in Detroit, Michigan. The young couple are residing at 17880 Charest Street, Detroit.

Miss Dorothy D. Cook, daughter of Mrs. H. H. Cook of Natchitoches, and

Mr. Ova S. Benton, son of Mr. and Mrs. S. Benton of Oakdale, were married in Carson City, Nevada, on September 24. The bride has been serving as personnel supervisor at Camp Polk, Leesville, prior to her marriage.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Ricks of Mansfield have announced the marriage of their daughter, Ada Lee, to Mr. J. W. Broussard, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Broussard of Grand Chenier, at Cameron on July 15. The young couple will reside at Grand Chenier.

Miss Irmenia Wooley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Wooley of Pine Bluff, Arkansas, and Mr. Odis Payne, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Ash of Haynesville, were married in Pine Bluff on July 14. They will be at home at 513 Beech Street, Pine Bluff.

Miss Vivian Parker, daughter of Mrs. S. R. Parker of Haynesville, and Mr. Max L. Parrott, son of Dr. and Mrs. R. L. Parrott of Zwolle, were married on July 3 at the home of the groom's parents in Zwolle.

Miss Frankie Dean Rains, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rains of Martha-ville, and Mr. James Milton Corley, son of Mrs. G. L. Corley of Natchitoches, were married on August 15 at the First Baptist Church, Natchitoches. The young couple are both students at the College.

Miss Doris Claire Leone, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Leone, Jr., of Zwolle, was married recently to William Holman White, musician and composer, of New York City. The marriage took place in Tacoma, Wash. Mrs. White has been a member of D'Artego's all-girl orchestra of New York for the past three years, having spent a year overseas doing USO work. She is now on a USO tour of the United States, working in camp hospitals as pianist and singer.

Miss Ruth Neeson, daughter of Mr.

and Mrs. F. L. Neeson, and Joe C. Colvin, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Colvin of Ruston, were married July 13 at the home of the bride's parents, with Brother H. B. Hysell officiating. Mrs. Colvin is a graduate of Centenary College and Northwestern State College, and has received her library science degree from Louisiana State University. She served three years in the navy and was discharged with the rank of full lieutenant.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Henry of Ruston have announced the marriage of their daughter, Elizabeth, to Aswell Connally of Coushatta, on Sunday morning, July 7, at 9:30 o'clock, in the home of the bride's brother, Dallas E. Henry. Mr. Connally is a graduate of Northwestern State College, and since his discharge from service last February has been employed in Coushatta, where they will make their home.

Miss Wanda Lee Earnest, daughter of Mrs. Luther I. Earnest and the late Mr. Earnest of Shreveport, and John E. Hoagland, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Hoagland of Omaha, Nebraska, were married at the First Baptist Church June 1, with Dr. M. E. Dodd officiating. They will make their home in Los Angeles, California.

New Faculty Members . . .

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In addition to the preceding twenty-four new members of the faculty of the College, seven instructors have been employed as follows:

HIGH SCHOOL: Instructor, P. H. Breedlove, formerly principal, Coushatta High School; Instructor, Eunice S. Kennedy, formerly teacher, Robeline High School; Instructor, Marion Lindsey, formerly teacher, Mansfield High School.

ELEMENTARY SCHOOL: Instructor, Joseph F. Cavanaugh, formerly teacher, Many High School; Instructor, Margery B. McCuller, formerly teacher, Lake Charles City Schools; Instructor, Katherine H. Otwell, formerly teacher, Pioneer High School; Instructor, Vera H. Vige, formerly teacher, Mt. Carmel High School.

Proposed Amendments To Alumni Constitution

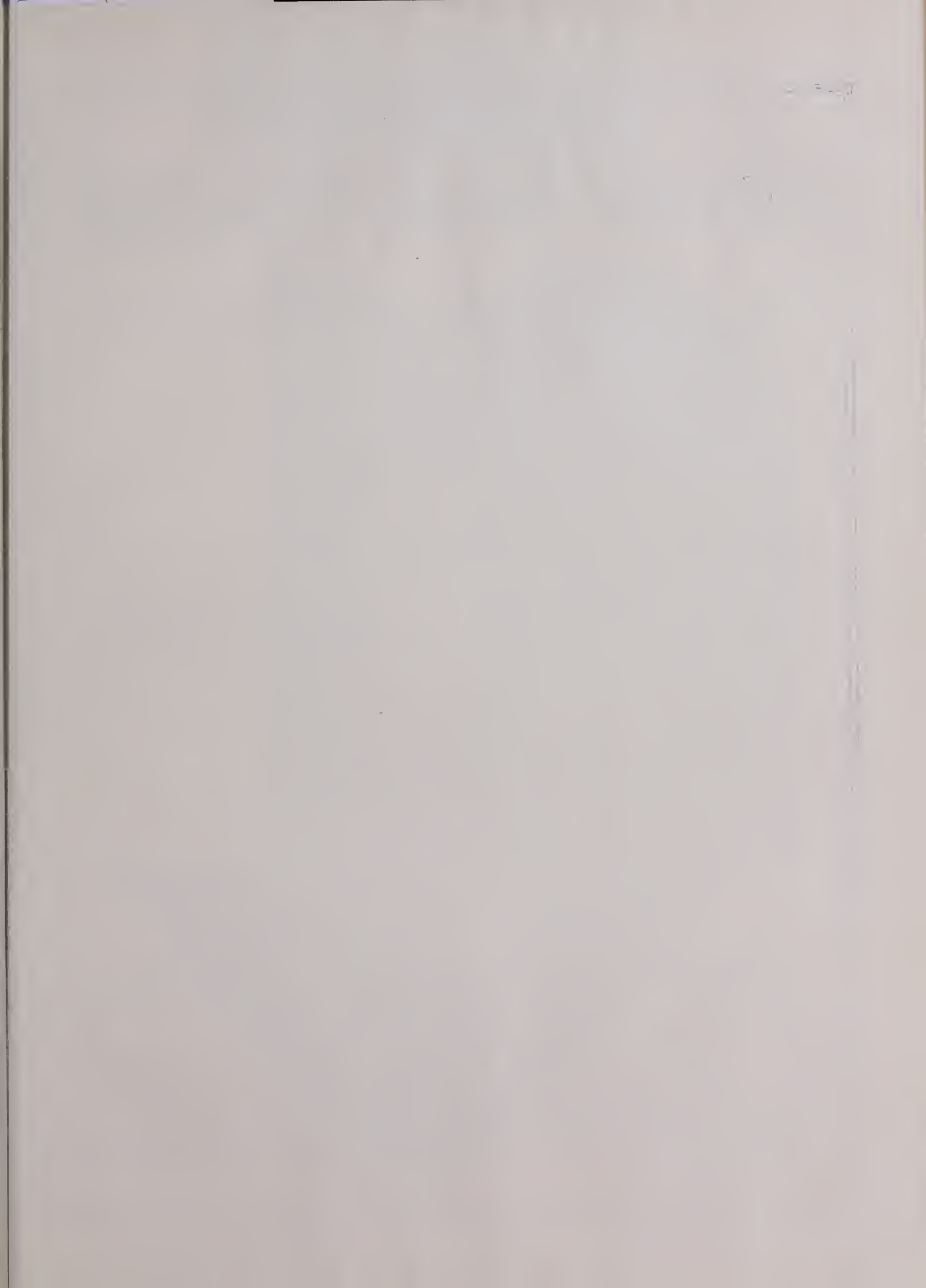
At the annual spring alumni homecoming, held in Natchitoches on May 27, 1946, the following amendments were proposed to be voted on at the meeting to be held at the next Louisiana Teachers Association meeting:

1. That the name of the Louisiana State Normal College Alumni Association be changed to Northwestern State College Alumni Association to conform to the name of the College.
2. That the election of officers of the alumni association be held at the annual spring alumni homecoming instead of at the Louisiana Teachers Association meeting.
3. That one additional member be added to the board of directors of the alumni association and that this member be elected from the senior class. The new member of the board of directors to serve for one year with his or her successor being elected each spring from the incoming senior class.

These amendments will be voted on at the alumni breakfast being held in the Caddo Hotel, Tuesday morning, November 26, at eight o'clock. The L. T. A. meeting will be held in Shreveport November 25, 26, and 27, 1946.



Campus Scenes



Artists Series Program

The Artists Series Committee has arranged a varied and delightful program for the year 1946-1947. For the benefit of those who wish to drive in for these features to be presented in the Fine Arts Auditorium, we list them and the date of performance. (All performances at 8:15 P. M. on the date given)

SEASON 1946-47

**November 19 - - Xavier Cugat, his orchestra
and Revue**

This well known radio, movie, concert and dance orchestra needs no introduction. "The Rhumba King" appears in person in popular concert with his orchestra and an outstanding company of Singing and Dancing Stars. Don't miss these 40 Top Flight Stars.

November 25 - - - - - Footlight Favorites

John Brownlee, Lucielle Browning, Edward Kane, and Adelaide Abbot compose this operetta Quartet and sing great songs of Light Opera and Musical Comedy. This group of outstanding artists will sing a program of enduring popular classics featuring such well known composers as Gilbert and Sullivan, Johann Strauss, and Sigmund Romberg—melodies that range from "The Merry Widow" to the latest Broadway smash hits.

December 6 - - - - - Dr. Harlan Tarbell

"Magic of the Ages and Eyeless Vision"

Tarbell is a magician's magician; he puzzles the magician as well as the layman. Author, recipient of six educational degrees, creator of over 200 magical mysteries, and teacher of magicians, he is a supreme entertainer—a master showman.

**January 13 - - Gordon String Quartet with Lois
Bannerman, Harp Soloist**

With more than 3,000 concerts to its credit, the quartet has had much to do with the growing enthusiasm for Chamber Music in this country. Lois Bannerman is one of the outstanding harpists on the platform today. This is truly an evening of inspiring music.

February 6 - Virginia Sales—humorous monologist

Virginia Sales has given over 500 performances of her show in this country, and has played character roles in 300 Hollywood pictures. For eight years she was featured as "Martha" in "Those We Love" each Sunday (N.B.C.) and has appeared on many other major broadcasts. If laughing disagrees with you, this is not a show for you to see.

**February 17 - - - The Strawbridge Players in
"Pinocchio," a dance drama**

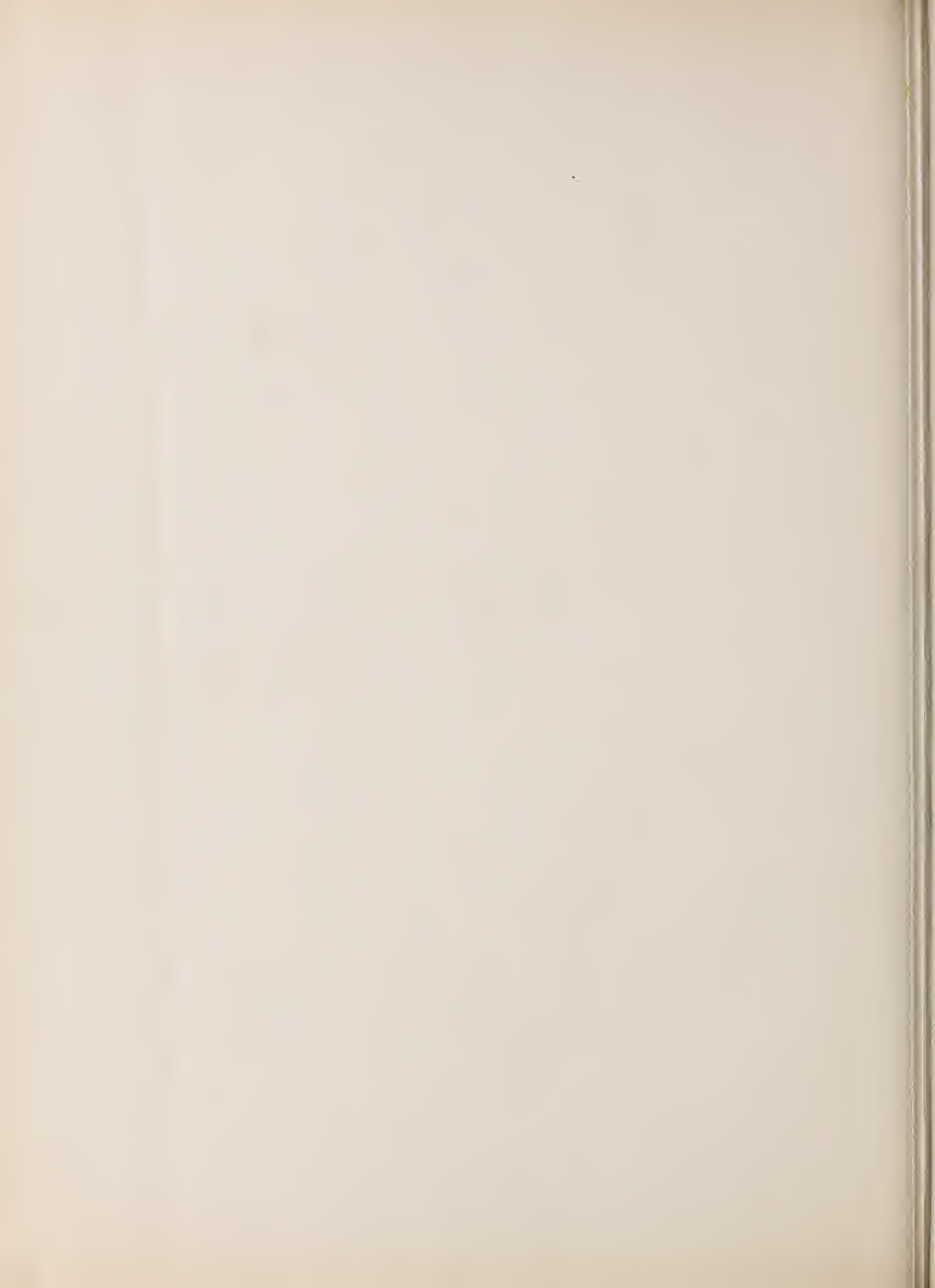
A thrilling theatre experience for children and adults, presented in an unusual and exciting form as a Dance Play that brings out the humor and pathos of Pinocchio's stirring experiences. Pictorial scenery, colorful costumes, and lively dances making their contribution to the story which is kept constantly in the foreground.

**March 17 - - William Henry Chamberlin lecture
on "Russia"**

An outstanding foreign news correspondent, author of several books on Russia, has just returned from Europe where he has been gathering new information for his lecture. Here is a real authority discussing the number one international problem of the day.

April 14 - - - - - Conrad Thibault, baritone

Here is one of the great radio personalities and one of the best appearing on the American platform. Thibault is still young and his great natural voice is still at its peak. He has a rare talent for having people like him; a really fine voice and excellent musicianship. If you like music, don't miss hearing him.



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